



**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

the Application of:

Confirmation No.: 3284

HENDRICKS et al.

Art Unit: 2135

Application No.: 09/400,296

Examiner: DADA, Beemnet W.

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Docket No.: 026880-00018

For: **ELECTRONIC BOOK SECURITY AND COPYRIGHT PROTECTION SYSTEM**

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

May 1, 2006

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 30, 2005, the period for response being extended one month to May 1, 2006 (April 30, 2006 falling on a Sunday) by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendment as shown on the following pages:

**Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.**

**Remarks begin on page 32.**

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